

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	)	
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Robert H. Halstead, Jr., et al.	)	Group Art Unit: 2191
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Application No.: 09/759,697	)	Examiner: Mary J. Steelman
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Filed: January 12, 2001	)	
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For: SYSTEM AND METHOD	)	Confirmation No. 2648
SUPPORTING TYPE CHECKING	)	
OF OPTIONS	)	

**Mail Stop Amendment**  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION**

In reply to the Office Action mailed March 20, 2006, the period for response having been extended to September 20, 2006 by a request for extension of THREE months and fee payment filed concurrently herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** follow on page 10 of this paper.